

PUBLIC WORKS PARKS

PROS Plan

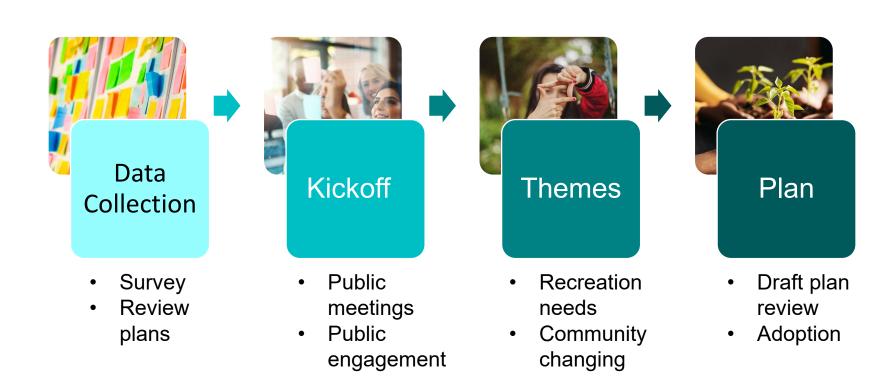
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Planning Process Overview





Plan Refinement





Public Outreach: Survey and Community Input

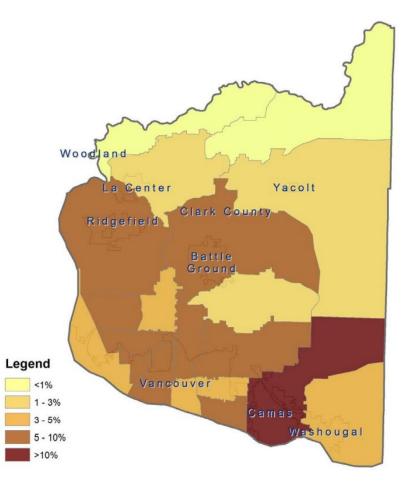
Outreach Strategies:

- Clark County website
- Social media
- Email campaign
- Online presentations
- Community online meetings
- Online stakeholder meetings
- 1:1 interviews
- Survey flyers posted in parks
- Flyers provided at fee booths





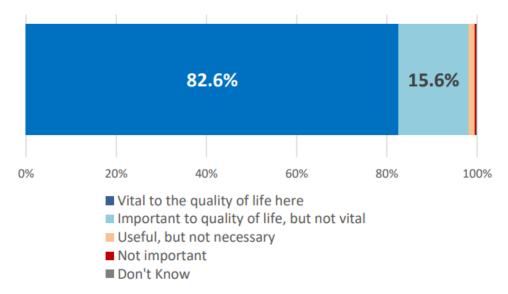
Survey Respondents





Clark County residents strongly value their parks and recreation facilities.

Nearly all respondents (98%) think parks and recreation are important to quality of life in Clark County.



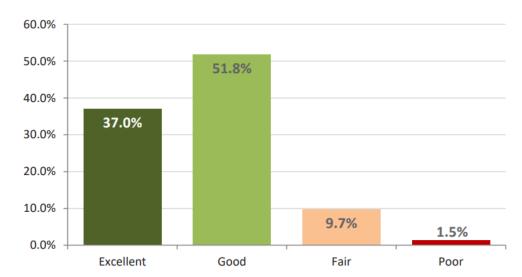


How do residents rate the quality of park maintenance and upkeep by Clark County?

A large majority of respondents (89%) rated the maintenance and upkeep of County parks as either excellent or good. A very small percentage of respondents (1.5%) rated the maintenance and upkeep as poor.

No significant differences exist between the demographic subgroups.

6. How would you rate the maintenance and upkeep of the Clark County parks you have visited, prior to the COVID-19 quarantine?



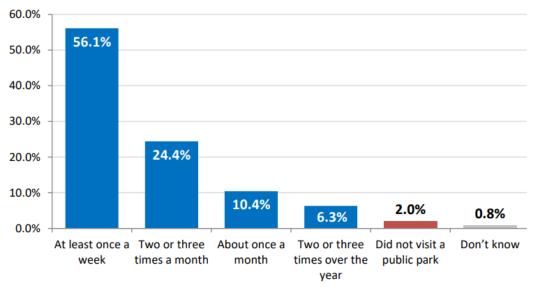


How often do residents use public parks in Clark County?

Respondents were asked how often they, or members of their household, visited a public park in Clark County over the past year. Respondents visit frequently, with 91% visiting a park at least once per month. Approximately 56% visit at least once a week and another 35% visit one to three times per month. About 6% of respondents visit just a few times per year.

Park visitation reports appear to decrease slightly with the age of the respondent. As compared to other age groups, adults 55 and over visit public parks slightly less frequently. Respondents with children in the household tend to visit parks more regularly and at higher rates for weekly usage.

2. How many times over the past year have you or members of your household visited a <u>public park</u> in Clark County?





Which recreation amenities do residents see as important?

11. Please rate how important each of the following amenities is to your household when visiting a County park.

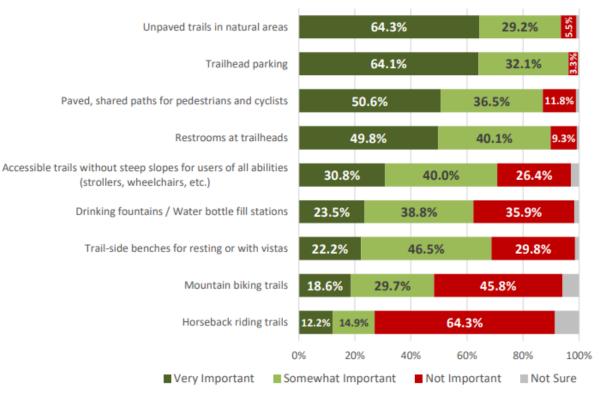
Natural areas and open space		77.4%	19.8%
Recreational trail connections for walking and biking		71.1%	24.5%
Playgrounds and play parks for children	40.3%	34.09	6 24.5%
Water views and vistas	40.1%	4	11.7%
Sport fields (softball, soccer, baseball, etc.) with all-weather turf and lighting	30.9%	30.0%	36.6%
Picnic facilities, including shelters, tables and barbecues	30.2%	49.3%	19.7%
Sport courts (basketball, tennis, pickleball)	23.9%	35.2%	38.0%
Off-leash dog areas	22.4%	32.8%	42.0%
Splash pads or water play areas	20.8%	35.2%	41.5%
Boat / watercraft launches for canoes and kayaks	20.4%	40.3%	36.5%
Boat facilities and launches for motorized or trailered boats	11.4% 23.1%	5 - C	62.1%
Sand volleyball courts	25.8%	6	2.7%
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Which trail-based improvements do residents have interest in?

Respondents were asked about the importance of certain trail-related amenities from a list provided. Most of the respondents indicated the following as either very important or important: trailhead parking (96%), unpaved trails (94%), restrooms at trailheads (90%), and paved, shared-use trails (87%).

10. Please rate how important each trail type or amenity is to your household.



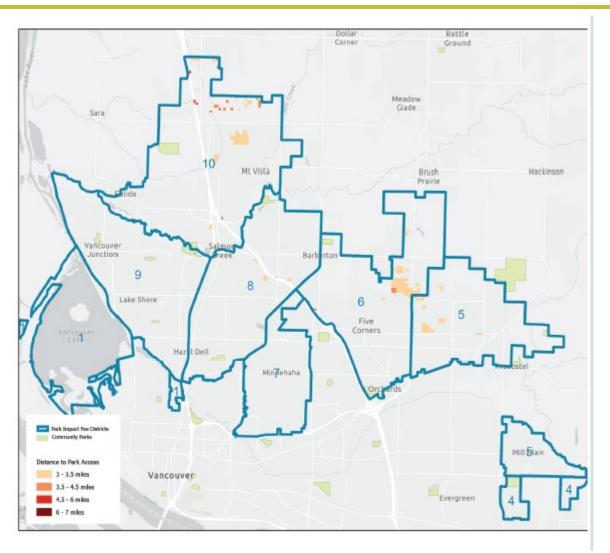


Acquisition Level of Service	2020			
Current UUA Population	157,870			
Park Classification	Combined	Community	Neighborhood	Natural Area
Current Acquisition Standard (acres/1,000 residents)	6.0	3.0	2.0	1.0
Effective Level of Service based on total acreage (acres/1,000 residents)	5.33	3.03	1.54	0.76
Net LOS to Standard (acres/1,000 residents)	(0.67)	0.03	(0.46)	(0.24)
Performance to Standard	89%	101%	77%	76%
Acreage surplus (deficit)	(105.6)	4.9	(72.8)	(37.8)

Park Development Level of Service	2020		
Current UUA Population		157,870	
Park Classification	Combined	Community	Neighborhood
Current Development Standard (acres/1,000 residents)	4.25	2.25	2.0
Effective Level of Service based on total acreage (acres/1,000 residents)	2.54	1.55	0.99
Net LOS to Standard (acres/1,000 residents)	(1.71)	(0.70)	(1.01)
Performance to Standard	60%	69%	50%
Acreage surplus (deficit)	(269.2)	(109.8)	(159.4)

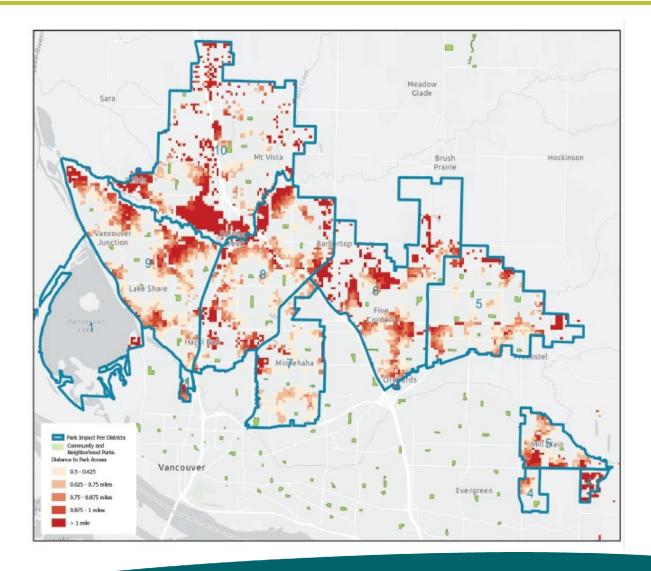


Park Density – Community Parks



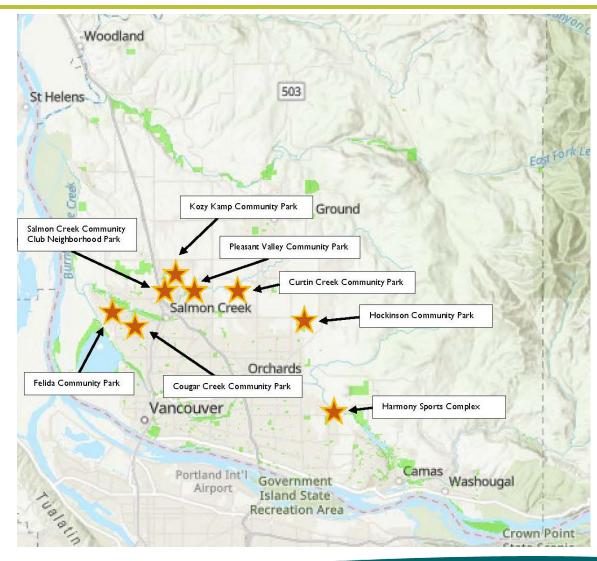


Park Density – Neighborhood & Community Parks



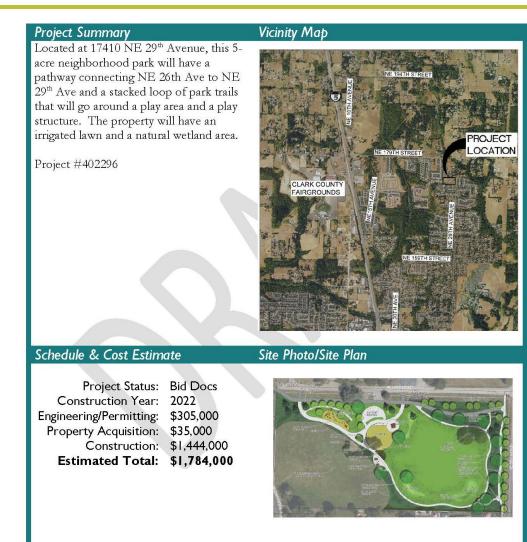


Development Projects Index Map



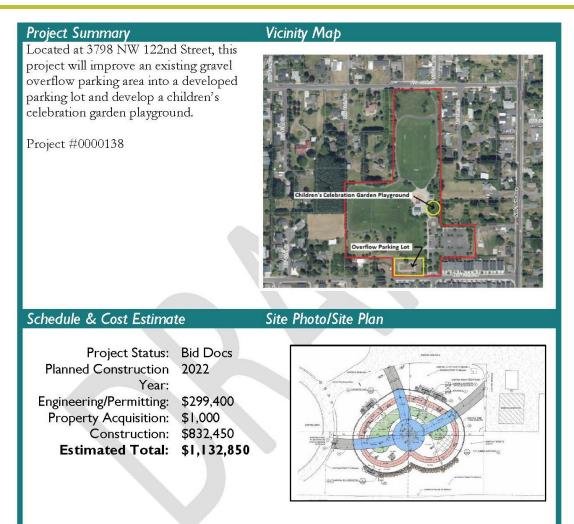


Kozy Kamp Neighborhood Park





Felida Community Park Improvements



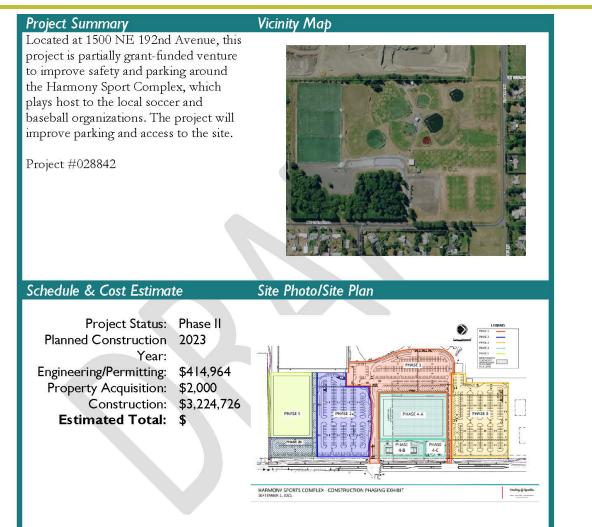


Hockinson Community Park Disc Golf and Trails





Harmony Sports Complex Parking and Safety Imp.



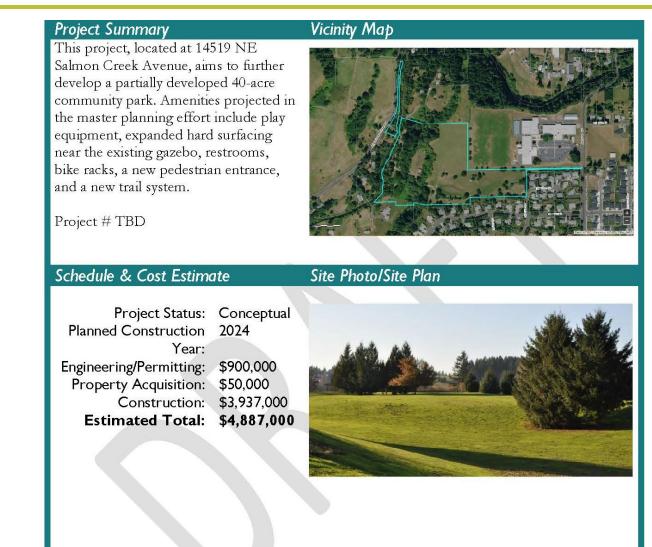


Curtin Creek Community Park Development





Pleasant Valley Community Park Development





Salmon Creek Community Club Neighborhood Park

Project Summary	Vicinity Map
Located at the northwest corner of NE 20th Avenue and NE 159th Street, this project aims to develop a neighborhood park on 4.5 acres. The project envisions a small playground, basketball courts, picnic tables, and a walking trail. Project # TBD	
Schedule & Cost Estimate	Site Photo/Site Plan
Project Status: Conceptual Planned Construction 2025 Year: Engineering/Permitting: \$272,500 Property Acquisition: \$35,000 Construction: \$1,321,250 Estimated Total: \$1,628,750	



Cougar Creek Community Park Development

Project Summary

This project, located at NW 16th Ave and NW 116th Ave. A master plan has not been completed and this will be the first step of developing this site.

Project # TBD

Vicinity Map

Schedule & Cost Estimate

Site Photo/Site Plan

Project Status: Conceptual Planned Construction Year: 2027 Engineering/Permitting: \$900,000 Property Acquisition: \$50,000 Construction: \$3,937,000 Estimated Total: \$4,887,000











